

of Maryland, be and the same is hereby given to the devise and bequest to the German Evangelical Lutheran St. Paul's Congregation of the Unaltered Augsburg confession, of Baltimore city, contained in the last will and testament of Caroline Hauser, dated the 16th day of March, 1895, and recorded in the office of the Registry of Wills, for Baltimore city, in Wills, Liber, S. R., No. 86, folio 46, etc.

The Secretary of the Senate appeared and delivered the following message:

House bill entitled "An Act to repeal sections 657 and 211, of the Acts of 1898, Chapter 123, entitled "City of Baltimore," subtitle "Charter," and to re-enact in lieu of section 657, three sections to be known as "Sections 657, 657 A. and 657 B," and to re-enact section 211 with amendments."

Endorsed: "Read the third time and passed by yeas and nays."

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Wilkinson, from Committee on Legislation, reported favorably,

Senate bill No. 5, entitled "An Act creating a sewerage commission for Baltimore city, and authorizing the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to issue the stock of said corporation to an amount not exceeding \$12,000,000, for the purpose of providing, constructing and maintaining a sewerage system, to provide for the collection and disposal of sewerage in said city, and the inhabitants thereof, and to authorize the submission of an ordinance for that purpose, to the legal voters of said city."

Mr. Siegmund submitted the following minority report:

While loath to differ from the action of the other members of the Committee, in reporting favorably Senate bill No. 5, nevertheless, in view of the fact that in my opinion no good and sufficient reasons have been sugges-